

Appointments made by Mr. G. Padmanabha Pillai, District Registrar in charge, and Mr. G. Paramesvaran Pillai, Ag. District Registrar, Trivandrum.

154. **MR. K. NARAYANAPERUMAL NADAR** (*Agastisvaram*): Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table statements of the permanent, temporary and acting appointments made, showing also the castes and qualifications of the persons appointed—

(a) by Mr. G. Padmanabha Pillai, while he was in charge of the duties of the Director of Registration; and

(b) by Mr. G. Paramesvaran Pillai, while he was the acting District Registrar, Trivandrum, *vice* Mr. Padmanabha Pillai?

MR. K. GEORGE (*Chief Secretary to Government*): Statements* containing the information required are laid on the table.

Transfer of a clerk of the Quilon Taluk Office.

155. **MR. K. KUNJUKRISHNA PILLAI** (*Quilon*): Will the Government be pleased to state:

(a) the name of the section clerk who worked with the Tahsildar in the investigation into, and the discovery of, defalcations and other irregularities in 1106 in the Quilon taluk;

(b) whether that clerk has been transferred to Peermade; and

(c) the date of his transfer order?

MR. P. VISVANATHA AIYAR (*Secretary to Government*): (a) Clerks K. Gopala Pillai and R. Ganapati Aiyar.

(b) The former has been transferred to the Peermade Taluk Office.

(c) 14th May 1932.

MR. K. KUNJUKRISHNA PILLAI (*Quilon*): May I know, with reference to part (a), the number of defalcations or other irregularities found out during the period of, say, the eleven months before this interpellation was addressed to the Government?

MR. P. VISVANATHA AIYAR (*Secretary to Government*): I claim notice.

MR. K. KUNJUKRISHNA PILLAI (*Quilon*): May I know the relative share of these two clerks with regard to the detection of these defalcations?

MR. P. VISVANATHA AIYAR (*Secretary to Government*): I claim notice with regard to that also.

MR. K. KUNJUKRISHNA PILLAI (*Quilon*): May I know which of these clerks travelled with the Tahsildar to the various *pakuthies*?

MR. P. VISVANATHA AIYAR (*Secretary to Government*): I have no information.

MR. K. KUNJUKRISHNA PILLAI (*Quilon*): May I know the reason why soon after the defalcations, clerk, Gopala Pillai, mentioned in the answer to part (a) was transferred to Peermade?

MR. P. VISVANATHA AIYAR (*Secretary to Government*): I do not know if it was in connection with the defalcations.

MR. K. KUNJUKRISHNA PILLAI (*Quilon*): May I know the reason for his transfer?

*Vide Appendix I—pages i to iii.